Beginning July1, 2011 the town of Hampton will begin transitioning to a new recycling and trash pick-up system. The program will be implemented in several phases. When the program is fully operational recycling and trash containers (carts) will be picked up at curbside with trucks with automated arms. On July 1 recycling materials will be picked up by Hampton town employees rather than Waste Management. Pick-up schedules remain the same and you will continue to use the same receptacles you currently use until you receive new carts.

- The first phase related to the new equipment involves new trash and recycling containers (carts) which are wheeled and have hinged lids. The Town will place an order for the new carts no later than <a href="June 28">June 28</a>. The cart colors will be <a href="blue for trash">blue for trash</a> and <a href="green for recycling">green for recycling</a>. There will be a "mix" of 3 different sized carts ordered (35, 64, and 96 gallon). Sample carts (colors may vary from those scheduled for Hampton) will be available for viewing in the lobby of the Town Office. Pictures of the carts will also be available for viewing on cable Channel 22 or the town website <a href="http://www.hampton.nh.us/">http://www.hampton.nh.us/</a>.
- ▶ Property owners of single family and duplex residential homes ONLY (condexes included) will receive two 64 gallon carts (one of each color) per unit. NOTE: Property owners who want different sizes or more carts than the two carts being delivered must contact the town Public Works Dept. @ 926-3202 or via email to cartrequest@town.hampton.nh.us with their request no later than June 24. Size substitution is at no cost, but cart purchases in excess of the initial 2 carts will be at the same price as the town is paying (estimated at approximately \$47). The following information is required:
  - Name, Address, Phone Number, Desired size(s), color(s), & number(s) of each.
- > **ALL** others, including businesses, who wish to participate must contact Public Works in the same manner and provide the same information.
- ➤ The contractor is scheduled to distribute the "free" carts to residences during the <u>first two weeks of August</u>. Purchased carts will be obtained at the Transfer Station when available.
- ➤ Information on disposition of current recycling and trash containers will be forthcoming.

STAY TUNED FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS